



LIBERTY AND UNION—ONE AND INSEPARABLE.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27, 1856.

AMERICAN TICKET.

MILLARD FILLMORE,
OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
ANDREW J. DONELSON,
OF TENNESSEE.

OF Sales, advertised in the Shelby News, and by bills
printed at the News Office.

AT PRIVATE SALE:

The Farm of James O'Bannon, near Eminence, Ky.
Farm of W. W. Parrish. See advertisement.

Judith W. Gill's very desirable Farm, near Clayville.
See advertisement.

The fine Farm of M. Collier & Brothers, five miles
north from town. See advt.

A Lot containing 31 Acres, adjoining the town of
Shelbyville. See advt.

The desirable Farm of Jas. L. O'Neill. See advt.

The excellent Farm of Col. Henry—late Col. P. D.
Davis. See advertisement.

The fine Farm of John W. Bell, on the Taylorville
turnpike road. See special notice.

The fine Farm of Wm. H. O'Connell, three miles
south from Shelbyville. See special notice.

AT PUBLIC SALE:

August 29. The Personal Property belonging to the
estate of Samuel Shannon, dec'd. See advertisement.

September 2. The Farm and Personal Property of
George Lawless. See advertisement and bills.

September 3. The Farm and other property of Rich-
ard S. Owen, dec'd. See advertisement.

September 8. A number of Tracts of Land, Houses
and Lots, and several Negroes, by Henry B.
Hawkins, as Master. See advertisement.

September 10. The property of David Robertson, de-
ceased. See advertisement.

September 13. A splendid lot of Jack and Jennets,
by McMechen & Wornock, at Georgetown, Ky.
See advertisement.

September 20. The Farm and personal property of
Hugh Allison, deceased. See advertisement.

October 13. Farm of Lucinda D. Layton, dec'd.
See advertisement of W. S. Willis.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Foras For Sale. Among the Special Notices our
readers will find the Farms of John W. Bell and Jas.
W. O'Connell offered for sale. They are very desirable
tracts of land.

Read all the cards under the head of Special
Notices.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

New Goods. T. O. Shackelford has received some
fine new Goods, which he is anxious to sell at a
reduced price. He also gives them notice that he
will sell on hand one of the best and cheapest
stock ever offered in this city.

Flag Depot, Louisville. We call the attention of
all persons who want Flags, to the card of the Flag
Depot of Wilkins & Marcellus, Louisville. These
gentlemen will put up to order flags at the shortest
notice, of the best materials, and in the best style,
at the most reasonable rates. Give them a call.

Eminence Fair. We hope every reader, interested
in the property of the Eminence Fair, and every
body should be made known. We are satisfied that
the officers of the fair are doing all in their power
to make it successful.

Dissolution. See the notice of the dissolution of
the firm of Blackiston & Fishback. They want
loans to settle up, and for work.

New Firm. G. W. Fishback and James H.
Smith have entered into partnership in the
Dry Goods, etc. See their card. They invite the
people to call upon them at the old stand of Black-
iston & Fishback.

Holloway's Medicines. We are not in the habit
generally of noticing the least one medicine of
the day; but when a really meritorious one is be-
fore the public, we think it due to the afflicted that
the fact should be made known. We are using Hol-
loway's Pills and Ointment in cases of humors,
bruises, and scalds, with beneficial effects, and
there are cases within our knowledge of extraordinary
cures performed in diseases of long standing. Professor
Holloway's Ointment and Pills are among the few
preparations which perform all the cures for which
they are famous. We are satisfied that they are
purifying the blood, regulating the stomach, and
curing fever and bilious complaints, no better remedy
can be found.—Beware of imitations.

To our Subscribers and Friends.

We have associated with us, our nephew, Mr.
FRANK G. SEANAN, in the printing of The Shelby
News. The mechanical department will be gen-
erally under his charge, and he will also assist us
in the Editorial department. And in our absence will
attend to the business of the office generally.

Having acquired a knowledge of the business with
us, we are fully satisfied that few youths of his age
are more competent to take the position he now as-
sumes; and we feel, that with health and diligence,
he will, in a few years hold a not unenviable position
in the ranks of newspaper conductors.

BANK OF ASHLAND.

The Stockholders of the Bank of Ashland are
herby notified that a call of Twenty Dollars, on
each share, has been ordered to be paid on or before
the 3rd of September next. It is imperative that
this call be promptly paid.

JAS. L. O'NEILL, Cashier.

We are indebted to a friend for a copy of The
Shelby News. We have sent our paper regularly to
brother Middleton, but have failed to receive his re-
turn.

The News is one of the ablest American papers in
the country, and we should be pleased to number it
among our exchanges.—Louisville Visitor.

We make our best bow to you, friend Visitor. We
did not know of your existence until last week; when
we sent you a copy of The Shelby News.

We are glad to see that you are so greatly labor-
ing in the good cause, and so ably battling for the
Union and its property. May every success attend
you.

House of Worship.—We noticed, a day or two
since, in the Louisville Courier, a very neat, and no
doubt desirable, complimentary to the recent Presby-
terian Congregation of Louisville, for the very becom-
ing and tasteful repairs recently put upon their House
of Worship. Its perusal, brought to our mind the
fact, that efforts were about being initiated, by some
of the Presbyterians of this city, to have their House
of Worship repaired, &c., which,
by the way, it needs very much.

We hope the effort will be entirely successful;—
not a few temporary patches made; but the whole
house and grounds undergo a thorough and perman-
ent repair. The Congregation is amongst the wealth-
iest;—we do not think it second to the Louisville
Congregation; and the repairs will not be so costly
as their House of Worship required. It is the House
of God; and every member should feel it his privi-
lege and duty to give liberally to this work, as the
Lord has prospered him. The recent genial showers
and refreshing rains, which Providence has sent to
revive the growing crops and rejuvenate the parch-
ed soil, all acknowledge as a precious blessing. Let
the Presbyterians, who he feels grateful to his
HEAVENLY FATHER by giving of his substance to ren-
der decent and becoming the Sanctuary of the Lord,
where he worships. It is his duty to do so, whether
he feels it or not; and his offering should be a free
will one—according to his means.—The widow's
mite is more than the millionaire's thousands. He
that is able, but refuses to give liberally, "withhold-
eth more than is meet; but to poverty" while "the
liberal soul"—the willing and cheerful giver—"shall
be made fat."

Let the offerings for the repair of God's House, be
liberal; let them be made at once; and let good judg-
ment and correct taste be manifested in the repairs,
and the Lord will bless and multiply the Congregation.

To JOHN F. LONG, Esq., of California,
we are indebted for files of California
papers.

To Mr. Tho's. C. McGRATH, we are
under obligations for files of New York,
Philadelphia, Cincinnati and other papers.

Mr. MEACHAM, member of Congress from
Vermont, died at home, on the 23d, of con-
gestion of the brain.

For Kansas.—A company starts to-day,
the 27th, from Lexington, in this State, for
Kansas. Other companies are forming in
various sections of the State, for the same
destination.

State Council.—The Kentucky State
Council met, at Lexington, on Wednesday
last. In another column we give an article
from the Observer noticing the proceedings,
the official proceedings not having been
received.

Who wants it?—We see that the re-
cently appointed Postmaster at Cynthiana
has removed to Covington. As no citizen
of Cynthiana appears to be competent to
fill the office, here is chance for an outsider.
Is there no foreign Papist that desires the
place? He can get it.

Foreign.—The only news of interest
from Europe for sometime, was brought by
the Africa last week. There is a rumor of
a renewal of difficulties between the West-
ern Powers and Russia. England and
France accuse Russia of occupying the Is-
land of Serpents with her troops, contrary
to the spirit of the treaty. A British fleet
has been sent to the Black Sea.

The latest intelligence from Illinois
assures us that even that distant State will
appoint a delegation to attend the National
Convention, and many of the most intelli-
gent conservatives throughout the Union,
we have the best reasons for believing, will
heartily cooperate in the movement.

Kansas.—We give in another part of this
issue the telegraphic accounts of terrible
outrages in Kansas committed by the Abolition-
ists on the pro-slavery men in the Terri-
tory.

The anti-American Democracy and Black
Republicans are responsible for this unfor-
tunate state of affairs. Had Gen. PIERCE
sent Gen. SCOTT to Kansas, as was sug-
gested by Mr. CRITTENDEN, or had the anti-
American Black Republican faction in the
House passed the Kansas bill of Mr.
TOOMBS, in either event, there would have
been none of this disgraceful and murder-
ous proceeding.

A man named JERRY JONES was killed
in Bullitt county last week. JERRY and
his brother THOMAS JONES had married sis-
ters, Misses BURDETTS. JERRY made dis-
honorable proposals to THOMAS's wife, and
threatened to kill her if she did not comply.
She apparently yielded; but persuaded him
to desist until a more opportune time. A
few days after he called at THOMAS's house
and renewed his proposals; and on his ex-
pressing his determination to make her com-
ply, she drew a revolver and shot him,
killing him instantly. She was tried and
acquitted.

The Union Pole.—On Saturday last,
the friends of FILLMORE and DONELSON raised
in our village, a beautiful Union Pole, from
which floats the flag of the Union—the
Stars and Stripes.

—There was some trouble about raising
it at first; owing to the "tackling" not being
sufficiently strong or properly arranged;
and gave occasion to a good deal of argu-
ment and cheering. But their glee only ag-
gravated the American spirit; and they went
at it with a will that was soon triumphant.
When the flag was hoisted, amidst the en-
thusiastic shouts of the crowd, and its ample
folds were given to the breeze, it at once
took position pointing towards Washington
City—indicating that that point was the
destination of the statesmen whose names
were inscribed upon it.

Thos. M. Green, Esq.—This gentleman
addressed the Fillmore Club, at this place,
on Saturday afternoon last. A large num-
ber were in attendance, and his speech was
prounced by all who heard it as the most
powerful elucidation of the principles and
objects of the American party, and of the
positions of its candidates, delivered here
during the canvass. We regret that we
were kept away from the Court House dur-
ing the greater part of Mr. GREEN's speech,
for we intended giving a synopsis of it.

Of one thing the American party in this
State should be proud.—That is, the num-
ber of young men who are doing battle for
our cause. In the hands of GREEN, HAR-
LAN, KINNEY, and a score of others, who
are canvassing the State, our principles are
safe; and so long as such noble champions
from the youth of our land are found ad-
vocating them, American principles can
never die. The principles of the American
party seem to have taken a deep hold on
the young men, and they are leading the
column and opening the way for those who
have stood the brunt of many a hard fought
day, and who are destined to be victorious
under the man of the times—the man of
the country, MILLARD FILLMORE. With
"my country, my whole country, and noth-
ing but my country," inscribed upon his
standard, and the love of the American
people welcoming him at every step, he
goes to fulfill his destiny and save the AMER-
ICAN UNION. From every hillside, and from
every glen, we behold the youth of our
country rushing to support the standard of
the Constitution, that waves triumphantly
aloft from the St. Lawrence to the Rio
Grande, and shall continue to wave so long
as true American hearts beat in the bosoms
of the sons of the land that gave birth to
WASHINGTON.

All honor, say we, to the young men of
our party.

Won't Sell.—Mr. L. RUCKER has with-
drawn his notice of sale,—having declined
to sell. He believes Old Shelby is the
place after all for solid comfort.

Freshets.—During last week there were
heavy rains in the Eastern States, occa-
sioning floods and doing much damage.

In looking over our exchanges last
week, we noticed in a New York paper,
that during the previous week, six Fre-
mont papers in that State had ceased to
exist; two Buchanan papers had gone over
to Fremont; and one Buchanan and seven
Fremont papers had come out for FILLMORE.

Congress.—Agreeably to the resolution
previously passed, Congress adjourned at
12 o'clock, on the 18th inst. The same
afternoon, the President issued his procla-
mation, convening Congress on the 21st
instant. The reason assigned was, that
Congress had failed to pass the army ap-
propriation bill, and that the army could not
be continued without the means were
provided to pay and subsist them.

—The bill had been lost by the per-
verseness of the Black Republicans in at-
taching to it a proviso, that no part of the
sums appropriated should be used in en-
forcing the laws in Kansas.

On the 21st both Houses assembled, and
organized. The preliminary steps were
taken to at once proceed with the army
bill. The House passed the bill with the
Kansas proviso; the Senate struck it out.
The House refused to recede, and passed a
resolution adhering to the Kansas proviso;
and thus the matter stood when both Houses
adjourned until the next day. Both parties
were determined to hold out, and let the
bill go; rather than yield the point.

Saturday was spent by both Houses with-
out coming to any satisfactory result; nei-
ther being willing to recede from their position.
Indeed, we think the Senate should not;
for never was there a more unjust propo-
sition made than the proviso attached to the
bill by the House.

Welcome.—A hearty welcome to the
errand, Capt. ALBERT PIKE, the poet sol-
dier and lawyer. A few weeks ago, the
anti-American press rang with his praise,
because he said he could not support the
nominees of the American Party. But,
the Captain having seen the bitterness with
which Mr. FILLMORE was assailed by the
anti-American Black Republicans for his
conservative and national acts, and having
read his speeches on his route from New
York city to Buffalo,—has come out in
favor of FILLMORE's election. He says,
the truth is demonstrated, that the Ameri-
can Party is the only national organiza-
tion, and the candidates of the party the
only national men before the nation for its
franchise. Welcome back, to your first
and true love, most gallant Captain.

From Illinois.—We have received the
first number of the "Conservative," a pa-
per established in Springfield, Illinois, by
the "Springfield Fillmore Club." It opens
to the glorious work of urging FILLMORE's
election, as the only national candidate,
frankly and ably. Against both the anti-
American Democratic and the anti-Ameri-
can Black Republican factions the "Con-
servative" opens its battery; and the charges
are well aimed, and will no doubt do
terrible execution upon those bodies.

We find in its columns notices of the
formation of Fillmore Clubs, in different
sections of the State; and proceedings of,
and calls for, Fillmore meeting in various
counties. The work goes on bravely; the
fires are lighted and burning; and the 4th
November will a tale unfold in Illinois, that
will make the anti-American factions stare
aghast.

The Galphinites.—Hon. J. M. CLAYTON
says he will not vote for FILLMORE; and
cannot vote for BUCHANAN or FREMONT.
It is well known that Mr. FILLMORE was
strenuously against the Galphin claim; and
it was known at the time, that one of the
strongest reasons, after their known hos-
tility to Mr. CLAY's compromise measures,
why he did not continue in office the Taylor
Cabinet, was because of their having advised
and consented to its payment. We are not
surprised, therefore, that Messrs. CLAYTON,
REVERDY JOHNSON, CRAWFORD, and other
members of Gen. TAYLOR's Cabinet, are
opposed to Mr. FILLMORE; nor that their
principal backers, PIERCE, PRATT & Co.,
coincide with them.

But, now that the anti-American Democ-
racy have nearly all the Galphinites in
their ranks, why do they not ring the Gal-
phin charge upon its various changes, as
they did until a few months back?

The Three Candidates.—We have three
candidates for the Presidency. Fremont
for the North, Buchanan for the South, and
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Oaths of the American Order are not now
necessary to the protection of its members
from persecution and proscription, nor es-
sential to the preservation and success of
the American party—

Resolved, That, in accordance with the
resolutions adopted by the National Council
of February 22, 1856, ratified and con-
firmed at its meeting in June, 1856, all the
Secrecy, Rituals, and Oaths of the Ameri-
can Order in Kentucky are dispensed with,
and that the American party stands before
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adopting as its principles the platform pub-
lished by the National American Council
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in mind, was agitated in his day, than any
other person in the country, and he has
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YOUNG MEN.—The young men of Bos-
ton, attached to Fillmore and Donelson,
have issued 10,000 copies of a spirited and
patriotic address to their Brothers of the
Union, urging them to rally for National
men and Union principles.

WANTED.—Several hundred able-bodied
active men, to shout for Buchanan and cir-
culate a patent life of the "Ten Cent"
Statesman—provided they can be engaged
at ten cents a day. Mechanics preferred.
Apply to the nearest Democratic Central
Committee men.

On Sunday night last, a fight occurred
near town, between some Irishmen. It ap-
pears that they had been using whiskey
pretty freely, and to make it set well, con-
cluded to have an Irish fight, and at it they
went. One of them was stabbed in the
back, but not seriously injured.

Not So.—The anti-American papers are
saying that there are but two Fillmore pa-
pers in Illinois. There are now ten—two
dailies with their tri-weekly and weekly
editions, and eight weeklies. One of them
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A. Whitely and M. C. Johnson, Esq., of
the address reported by the committee, is one
of the ablest documents that we ever read,
and it sets forth the position of the Ameri-
can party so clear, that it cannot be mis-
understood, and so powerfully that it can-
not be resisted by any candid mind.

The following is the resolution adopted
by the State Council, making the American
Order an open party:

Whereas,—The Secrecy, Rituals and
Oaths of the American Order are not now
necessary to the protection of its members
from persecution and proscription, nor es-
sential to the preservation and success of
the American party—

Resolved, That, in accordance with the
resolutions adopted by the National Council
of February 22, 1856, ratified and con-
firmed at its meeting in June, 1856, all the
Secrecy, Rituals, and Oaths of the Ameri-
can Order in Kentucky are dispensed with,
and that the American party stands before
the world as an open political organization,
adopting as its principles the platform pub-
lished by the National American Council
of February 22, 1856, and that all who ap-
prove these principles, and subscribe to
this platform, shall be considered as mem-
bers and entitled to all the rights and privi-
leges of the members of the American
party.

Later from Kansas.

[Telegraphed for the Newbury National Line—by
H. L. CHAPMAN, Operator.]

Sr. Louis, August 25.

Advices from Kansas represent the coun-
try as the scene of intense excitement.

Jackson, Clay, and LaFayette counties,
in Missouri, are raising men, and 3,000 are
expected to take the field.

Lecompton was not captured as was re-
ported, it not being even attacked by the
Abolitionists.

190 U. S. troops went up the river yes-
terday for Gen. Smith.

A call is published for a meeting to be
held to raise money to aid the Southern
emigrants in Kansas. The call is signed
by about one hundred persons, including ed-
itors and members of prominent firms, do-
ing business in this city.

The Temperance Revue.—This is the title
of a paper recently established at Paducah, Ky.,
devoted to the cause of Temperance. We wish suc-
cess. So long as the question of Temperance is kept
out of the political arena, we shall cheerfully and
heartily give it our aid and countenance. We hope
the "Revue" will never leave the rally, to assemble
voters at the ballot-box to vote for candidates nomi-
nated by a political temperance organization. Had
the question been kept out of the political arena,
the cause would have been won on its con-
quering march.

Religious Notice.—The Long Run Association
of Bapt

